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Gibbins, Bruce L. et al.	)	
Serial No.: 09/752,939	)	Art Unit: 1615
Filed: December 29, 2000	)	Examiner: Ghali, Isis A. D.
For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR	)	
IMPROVED DELIVERY DEVICES	)	

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1460

Sir:

In response to the *Final Office Action* mailed March 7, 2006, Applicants submit this *Response to Final Office Action* and respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1507.

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